



## Cecil Ray Strickland

December 15, 1933 - January 19, 2023

Cecil Ray Strickland, age 89 of Jackson, passed away on Thursday, January 19, 2023. He was born in Oak Hill, Ohio on December 15, 1933 to the late William Eugene and Marcella (Kelley) Strickland. Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Shelba “Jean” (Brown) Strickland, and his son, Gary Allen Strickland.

He is survived by his siblings: Bernard, Dean, Basil and Dennis Strickland, and Imogene Garlitz.

Cecil was a veteran of the United States Navy – serving his country for four years. He worked on cars all of his life – including at several garages and for himself. In his younger years he enjoyed bowling.

No services will be held. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements are by the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home in Jackson.

Condolences may be sent to the family at: [www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Cecil Ray Strickland, give you peace,  
comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.  
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You  
will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Navy Veteran, Cecil Ray Strickland, is “A True American Hero”  
God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life  
for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - January 22, 2023 at 06:05 AM

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“ *I always stopped to see Cecil n he always had a smile!! Gonna miss  
him lots of hugs n prayers to the family*

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**Etta McGhee** - January 21, 2023 at 02:48 PM

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“ *Dennis  
So sorry to hear of your brothers passing.. no matter how old never  
ready to say good bye  
Teresa Lahrmer Thompson*

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**teresa Thompson** - January 21, 2023 at 12:44 AM

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“ So very sorry. He was a good man. You couldn't ask for a nicer family than Cecil. Jean and Gary.

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**Sharon Patton Brotherton** - January 20, 2023 at 07:02 PM